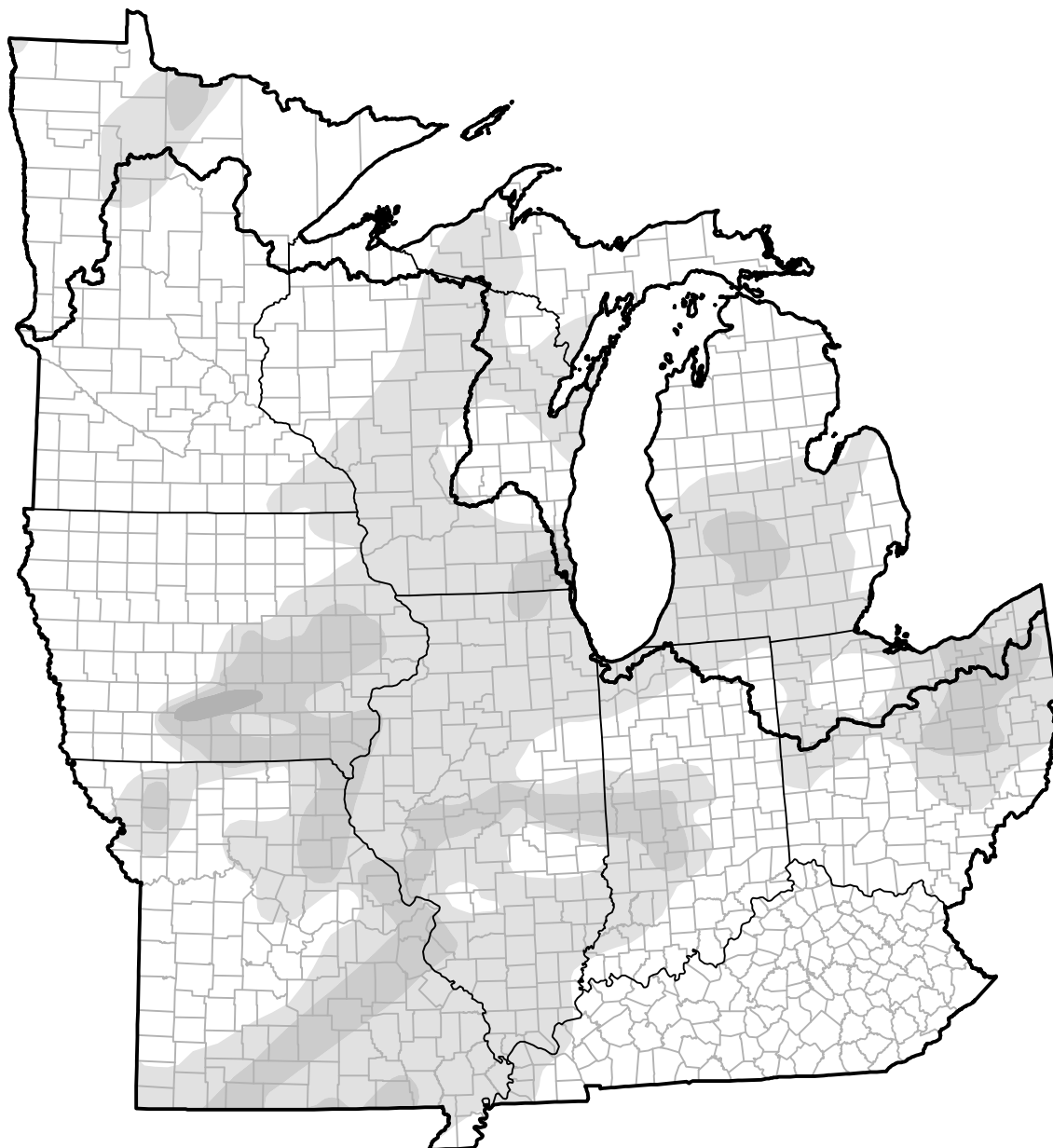


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	53.77	46.23	11.71	0.30	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-05-2017</i>	49.24	50.76	14.27	1.36	0.48	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-13-2017</i>	87.77	12.23	2.60	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	72.28	27.72	5.96	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2017</i>	54.99	45.01	10.06	1.03	0.34	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-13-2016</i>	89.95	10.05	0.73	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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